

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Confirmation No.:
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Reply to Final Office Action Dated September 4, 2008

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated September 4, 2008. A request for a two-month extension of time is filed herewith. If any additional fees are required to further the prosecution of this application, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1943.

A request for continuing examination (RCE) is also being filed concurrently herewith, and accordingly entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.